

Date: May 19, 2004  
From: Brett Moulding, State Director of Curriculum and Instruction  
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To: District Curriculum Directors, School Administrators, and Guidance Counselors  
RE: Awarding Core Credit in the Fine Arts

The following courses in the Fine Arts are eligible for core credit for the completing the 9-12 graduation requirement of 1.5 semester hours, when: a) the content taught matches the actual named course below (even if a different name is used at the school/district), and b) course is taught by a qualified instructor.

The courses with asterisks are intended for fulfilling the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade requirement of 1.0 semester hours of Fine Arts. Exceptions are made for students to take band, choir, or orchestra instead, as per SEOP.

### VISUAL ARTS

*NOTE: All levels of these courses are eligible.*

<b>Art History and Criticism</b> (VA 1210)	<b>Film Making</b> (VA 1240)	
<b>Commercial Art and Electronic Media</b> (VA 1250)	<b>3-D Design</b> (VA 1110)	
<b>*Foundations I</b> (VA 1100)	<b>Foundations II</b> (VA 1200)	<b>Drawing</b> (VA 1140)
<b>Printmaking</b> (VA 1130)	<b>Sculpture</b> (VA 1230)	<b>Photography</b> (VA 1170)
<b>Painting</b> (VA 1150)	<b>Ceramics</b> (VA 1220)	<b>Jewelry</b> (VA 1160)

### DANCE

<b>*Dance IA</b> (DA 1900)	<b>Dance IB</b> (DA 1910)	<b>Dance IIA</b> (DA 1920)
<b>Dance IIB</b> (DA 1930)	<b>Dance IIIA</b> (DA 1940)	<b>Dance IIIB</b> (DA 1950)
<b>Dance Company</b> (DA 1960)		

### MUSIC

<b>*Music Connections</b> (MU 1600)	<b>Guitar</b> (MU 1610)	
<b>Music Aesthetics</b> (MU 1700)	<b>Composition</b> (MU 1750)	
<b>*Choir I</b> (MU 1620)	<b>*Band I</b> (MU 1630)	<b>*Orchestra I</b> (MU 1640)
<b>Choir II</b> (MU 1720)	<b>Band II</b> (MU 1730)	<b>Orchestra II</b> (MU 1740)
<b>Choir III</b> (MU 1760)	<b>Band III</b> (MU 1770)	<b>Orchestra III</b> (MU 1780)

### THEATRE

<b>*Foundations I</b> (TH 1800)	<b>Foundations II</b> (TH 1810)
<b>Foundations III</b> (TH 1820)	<b>Foundations IV</b> (TH 1830)